

1           METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR ACTIVATING A SPREAD-  
2           SPECTRUM RADIOTELEPHONE RECEIVER

3                           Abstract of the Disclosure

4           A method of activating a radiotelephone operable in a spread-spectrum  
5           multiple access radiotelephone system. A searcher receiver (114) is activated,  
6           and the searcher receiver (114) acquires a PN sequence timing of a pilot signal.  
7           At least one demodulation branch (122) is activated after activation of the  
8           searcher receiver (114), and the demodulation branch synchronizes to the PN  
9           sequence timing of the selected pilot signal after the searcher receiver (114) has  
10          acquired the PN sequence timing.